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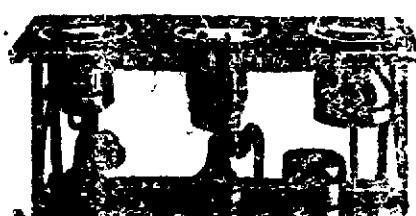
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History of the Old Slaughter
House Field.

Miller's Poly and the Reservoir at
Richards and Millers Avenues.

The fact that the "slaughter house
field" so called from time immemorial,
bounded by Richards, Lincoln ave. and
South street has been staked out into
house lots, and the ancient slaughter
house, which for many years has been
an object of disrespect and obloquy,
is to be torn down and carted off, the
cause of the following interesting article
from the pen of L P Miller:

Just when the old slaughter house
was built there is no record, but in May
1857, it was leased by James M Sheldon
and his brother, the late T Jefferson
Sheldon, with the field in which it was
located, and for many years they did an
extensive butchering business there,
often having as many as 500 sheep feed-
ing in the field at a time, and also dress-
ing many cattle for the local market.

Of late years, owing to the great fall-
ing off in sheep and cattle raising in
this part of the country, and the supply-
ing of the market with dressed meats
from the west, little business in the
butchering line has been done by the
surviving brother, James M Sheldon,
but he still retained his lease of the
premises until his right was purchased
by the new owners of the property.

Before the Sheldon brothers leased
the place it was occupied for many years
by the late Frederick Howe. When Mr
Howe took it what is now Richards av
extended but a few hundred feet from
Middle street and was called Joshua st;
the house now occupied by James M
Sheldon, numbered 10, on Richards av,
was the last house on Joshua st, and at
the very end of the street. Later Joshua
st was extended through the salt marsh
and swamp to South st, then South
road, and called Auburn st, the extension
running close by Howe's slaughter
house, even then known as "the old
south end slaughter house."

Shortly before the breaking out of the
secession war the late Henry Richards
at his own expense set out the trees
which now shade and beautify the av-
enue. He went to the war as a sharp-
shooter, was killed at Gettysburg, and
the city government then changed the
name from Auburn st to Richard av in
honor of his memory.

For many years the condition of the
avenue was no honor to any person or
to the city; it was narrow, and its
boundary lines were not straight; and at
extremely high tides the waters of the
South pond sometimes stood a foot or
more deep over its lowest places. But
25 years or so ago a wealthy lady of this
city left by will a large sum to be ex-
pended on the avenue, in widening and
straightening it, raising the road bed,
putting in drains and putting up decent
fences on both sides in place of the old
tumble down affairs that had previously
existed. The work was done and the
avenue put in really good condition; but
the lady's bequest did not provide for
its being kept in good condition, and
as a fact, it has never since been in as
good condition as her executor kept it.

The avenue has for many years been
one of the most traveled streets of the
city. Previous to the opening of Miller
av all the traffic between Portsmouth
and Bay over Sagamore road passed
through it, and nearly all funeral pro-
cessions to or from the south cemetery
the principal burial grounds of the city,
went that way. The old slaughter
house, standing close up to the street
had become an eyesore, and at different
times attempts were made to get rid
of it. But as it was always kept as clean
as it was possible to keep such an es-
tablishment the nearest neighbors could
not be prevailed upon to declare it a
nuisance, and it continued to hold its
ground.

When the late Frank W Miller in
1865 bought the rocky and swampy
piece of ground known as Packer's past-
ure—"Miller's folly," some people
called it for some years thereafter—the
first thing he did was to lay out and
build Lincoln av, Miller av and Broad
st, thereby starting the building on the
southerly side of Middle st, now the
finest residential portion of the city, and
causing the addition of many hundred
thousand dollars to the taxable property
of the place.

In laying out Miller st it was nec-
essary to take a strip from the slaughter
house field, and the late H. H. Elwyn,
the then owner of the field, who
was as liberal in many ways as he was
economical, which is saying a great
deal, gave all the land required.

Take all the ground you want for

your new street, he said, "and you
needn't bother about fencing in my
land, either. I'll fence it myself, if I
want it done."

The city owns one eligible lot in the
slaughter house field—the lot on the
corner of Richards and Lincoln avs. It
was bought for the purpose of making a
reservoir there for fire extinguishing
purposes. And there is a reservoir
there. It was dug out of the hard clay
soil to the depth of nine or 10 feet,
walled up roughly with rocks to the
surface of the ground and a two foot
wall of bricks built on top of the stone
wall, and a cover of wood built over the
whole concern to keep the rising genera-
tion from falling in and getting drowned.

The idea was to have the reservoir filled
and kept full by running the water from
a big drain put in by Mr Miller to it,
the said drain receiving the flow from
several springs.

The reservoir was rather an unlucky
venture from the start. The first win-
ter after it was built the snow caved in
the cover, and the frost capsized a good
part of the walls. And then, as houses
were built along the line of the drain,
and turned it into a sewer, the contents
of the reservoir became rather severe.
The reservoir was never used in case of
fire, but one time one of the steamers
was sent there to have its monthly play-
out. The moment the machine com-
menced to squirt the firemen commenced
to use language and hold their noses.
They say now that unquestionably a few
barrels of water from that reservoir, if it
be the same now as it was then, would
put out any fire that ever lived; no flame
could exist in such an atmosphere as
they stirred up that evening.

The reservoir now, like the old slaughter
house, is out of date and may as
well be abolished. The pipes of the
city water works extend through all the
streets of that section, with hydrants
wherever they are considered necessary,
so it is not likely that the odorous con-
tents of the reservoir will ever be re-
quired for fire extinguishing purposes.
The firemen who had experience with it
a dozen years or so ago say they hope
not, anyway.

PERSONALS

Mr R E Hannaford passed Sunday in
Merriam, Mass.

The Misses Varnell of State street are
visiting friends in Boston.

Rev A E Phelps and wife left this
morning for their home in Rhode Is-
land.

Thomas Burke passed Saturday and
Sunday in Portland, the guest of
friends.

Mr Fielding Bradford of Portland,
Me., passed Sunday in this city with
relatives.

Police Commissioner John E Dimick
visited Boston on Saturday and inspected
the Mechanics' fair.

Frank W Ferguson, Esq., of Boston,
passed Sunday in this city, the guest of
Mr M F Prescott, High street.

Mr Thomas K Locks has returned
from a fortnight's vacation, passed at
Auburn and other places in Maine.

The Misses Bradford of Court street
have issued cards for a progressive
euchre party on Wednesday evening.

Misses Frances and Ruth Wendell
leave today on a week's visit to their
sister, Mrs H P Patterson in Haverhill.

Mr J Herman Emery of New York
passed Sunday in this city, the guest of
his father, Mr J H Emery of South
street.

Mr P W Penhallow and Miss Eva
Sherburne closed the Warner home on
Daniel street Saturday and returned to
Boston.

Miss Grace Conner of Union street,
has returned from a several week's visit,
passed with Rev and Mrs M V McDuffie
at East Orange, N. J.

Miss Emily Stone of the shorthand
department of Bliss college has accepted
a position in the office of Mr Simpson,
superintendent of schools.

Mr Arthur Abbott, night operator at
the Boston & Maine railroad station in
Dover passed Sunday in this city with
his father, Mr Charles P Abbott, Union
street.

Carpenter Joseph B Fletcher, U. S. N.,
attached to this navy yard, passed Sun-
day in Brockton, Mass., the guest of his
son, George Fletcher, who is engaged in
business in that city.

Miss Addie Meloon of this city, who
has been studying shorthand and type-
writing at the Bliss college has accepted
a position in the law office of Frank E
Bowell, Esq., at Kittery.

Miss Martha S Kimball of Union street
gave a delightful "at home" on Sat-
urday afternoon and was assisted in re-
ceiving by Miss Brewster. Chocolate
was poured by Miss Mason and Miss
Thatcher and Miss Sweetser assisted
in serving the guests.

To Cure Constipation Forever.
Take Cascara Candy Cathartics, No. or No.
M. C. C. fail to cure, druggists, refund money

DEEDS WERE PERFORMED HERE
Center Barnstead Honors Memory of
Jonathan Chesley, Hero

The inhabitants of Center Barnstead,
with visitors from the surrounding
towns celebrated an event of no small
importance last Thursday. This event
was the dedication of the memorial
stone erected to the memory of Capt.
Jonathan Chesley, a Revolutionary sol-
dier, and placed over his almost-for-
gotten and unknown grave where he
was buried seventy-two years ago by
brother Masons, at the advanced age of

Captain Chesley was one of the six-
teen heroes who, with Langdon, Sulli-
van and Pickering, on the night of the
15th of December, 1774, went down the
Piscataqua river and captured the British
fort, William and Mary at New-
castle, now known as Fort Constitution.

Also capturing 100 barrels of gunpow-
der and dismantling twelve canon.

The Lancaster has been stripped of
her running rigging which means that
she will remain here some few months.

Surgeon R. C. Persons, who has had
charge of the naval hospital since the
Spaniards arrived here, leaves today on
a thirty days' leave.

Work on the improvement of the ship-
fitters shop has progressed rapidly, and
this station can boast of one of the finest

shops in the country.

The report of Constructor Bowles to

the navy department of what he sees, now
that the Brooklyn is in the New

York dry dock, is that the ship ground-
ed forward, and that her bottom is badly

scrapped for a distance of ninety feet,
extending outward on the starboard

side. On the port side is another long scar.

The plates are deated, varying
from a half inch to two inches, but the
rivets are in place. Mr. Bowles says it

will be fully a month before the Brook-

lyn can leave the dry dock.

"The Star Of Sobriety"

There will be a great treat at the Opera
House Tuesday and Wednesday October
25 and 26 upon the appearance of Miss
Katherine Robe supported by the famous
Lillian Kennedy Company in the great sen-
sational Comedy Drama "She Could'nt
Marry Three" and the greatest Military

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tional situations and startling climaxes as

well as full of the latest up-to-date speciali-
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seats at once.

Avoid Discouragement.

The sufferer from chronic disease often

abandons hope and becomes miserably de-
spairing. There is no end of doing so, for

there is hardly a complaint that cannot be
cured by somebody or some remedy. Dr.

Greene, 34 Temple Place, Boston, Mass.,
the famous specialist and undoubtedly the

most successful doctor in curing disease,
can point to thousands of cases which had

grown hopeless but which were by his

treatment restored to full health, vigor and

vitality. You can consult Dr. Greene by

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but write to the doctor and be cured and

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Nervous blood and nerve remedy.

A CLEVER TRICK.

It certainly looks like it, but there is
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try it who has lame back or weak kid-
neys, Malaria or nervous troubles. We

mean he can cure himself right away

by taking Electric Bitters. This medi-
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a stimulant to Liver and Kidneys, is a

blood purifier and nerve tonic. It cures

Constipation, Headache, Fainting

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THE PLASTERER.

From a resolute rat-eating citizen, especially when he concluded his toilet by plucking in his massive (some tall) earring a paper cap of the orthodox snuff-leaf shape so much affected by grotesques in the sandwuds. However, there was nobody present to see him. So what did it matter? Up

the handly pair of steps sprang Peter, bucket and brush in hand, and without unnecessary delay he made dash No. 1 at the ceiling—which, by the way, he had forgotten should have first been water-washed—with the brush heavily charged with the beautifying mixture. The result was not quite as the amateur distemper could have wished. A far greater percentage of the whitening descended in a thick shower on Peter's paper ditties than went on to the ceiling, to say nothing of sundry big splashes dropping upon various parts of his upturned face, causing him to sneeze so violently as to very nearly lose his balance and topple off the steps ignorantly to the floor.

After ten minutes' wild dabbling and splashing Peter thought he might as well assist exhausted nature by blowing the fragrant weed during work, just as though he were a real British workman. So he came down from his perch, found his beloved briar, charged it with some of Taddy's "Myrtle Grove" and lighted with a British match—dropped while still alight on to his improvised paper drapery.

No sooner had Peter again mounted his rostrum than, glancing downward, he saw, to his dismay, the devouring element skimming along the floor. Down scuttled the alarmed distemper, with the intention of stamping out the blaze. But, alas, in the excitement of the moment poor Peter forgot the nature of his improvised overalls! The next moment the tongues of the fury serpents crawling on the floor had licked Peter's "ready mades," and he was soon frantically occupied in tearing off the paper covering and burning his hands to a rather "sulphur" tune.

But Peter had become so acculturized, as it were, to his wife's very own style of oratory that it had ceased to impress him so slightly.

"Twelve months' accumulation!" he cried in well feigned astonishment.

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"I suppose the process is inevitable," observed Peter with a smile and toss of her head, "but the carpets are not taken up weekly. But perhaps you have been so absorbed in the consideration of weightier matters that you have failed to notice such a detail as that." This was said in Mrs. Grigwell's most sarcastic vein, but it only elicited a gruff "Humph!" from her husband, who then returned to the charge with: "Then look at the ceilings. You cannot truthfully deny that they require whitening, and badly too."

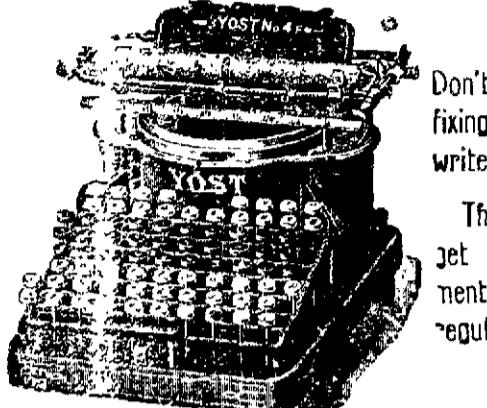
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"What do you intend to do then?" asked Mrs. Grigwell in a voice as hard as the prime cut of beefsteak.



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SOCIAL LIFE DULL.

Nearly Everybody of Note Is
Away From London.

WILL WALES VISIT UNITED STATES.

English Opinion Regards It Favorably but
as Improbable—Duke of York May Come
However—Great Banquet to General
Kitchener in November—After Effects
of War—Tod Sloan, Etc.

London, Oct. 22.—Social life in London is not very exciting at the present moment. Nearly everybody of note is away. The Prince of Wales came to London during the week and announced that he intended to visit Newmarket next week for the racing; but, apparently he received a hint that he is in mourn-

child, it was alleged, was stripped and beaten by the vicar's wife and was then kicked by the vicar. Both of the accused were sentenced to four months' imprisonment at hard labor. Dense crowds surrounded the court house during the progress of the trial and threats were openly made of lynching the prisoners.

Paderowski will not go to America this winter. He is to give recitals in England and Russia instead. The distinguished pianist has just completed his opera, which will be produced at Dresden, on Christmas.

The Hamburg-American line steamer, Auguste Victoria, which sailed from Southampton yesterday afternoon, has succeeded to erratic disorders on their return to Calais or London.

The followers of Tod Sloan received a severe check at Sandown, where, on Thursday, with Sloan riding the favorites in five races he only succeeded in getting a dead heat in one. The check has come none too soon for Sloan, whose head has been completely turned by success. Hitherto when Sloan reached the unsaddling place after a race he did not himself unsaddle like the other jockeys, but employed an attendant who handed Sloan his accoutrement when he took his place in the scale. Lord Durham, one of the stewards of the jockey club, stopped this practice.

The Kennel club has just held the record show at the Crystal palace, with 2,900 entries and 1,480 dogs. The Princess of Wales and the Duchess of Newcastle won championships with the now fashionable Bergols. The Prince of Wales exhibited with less success.

Considerable amusement has been caused by the answer which Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, the secretary of state to the colonies, made to the reporters' request for interviews at Liverpool or his return from the United States. Mr. Chamberlain declined to talk, saying: "Not on this side, I grant interviews only on the other side."

The zeal of the sultan of Turkey to renovate every town and village in Palestine through which Emperor William of Germany passed has resulted in every place being validated. The historical house of Simon the Tanner, where St. Peter lived, has been painted bright blue, and its door has been held with colored tape. Besides these, the building has been enclosed by a gaudy fence, while a steel screen, over a dome of rock dating back to the days of the crusaders, has been coated with yellow paint.

The British cabinet has been summoned to meet early next week for the purpose of discussing the Fashoda question, and it is understood that the government proposes to take the steps necessary to insist upon an early and definite statement on the subject from France.

The Paris correspondent of The Daily News summarizes in a dispatch to that paper the various reputed conversations between Count Muravieff, the Russian foreign minister, and French statesmen.

He represents Count Muravieff as declaring, in reference to the czar's re-

scripted armament, that it was useless preaching to the great powers.

He added that there was a large vested

interest in every state in the manufacture of guns and explosives.

Germany and Great Britain had gone

far in that direction and could not

cease easily. Perhaps France also could

not stop these manufacturers. Russia

had not gone so far.

Russia's idea, Count Muravieff is re-

presenting, was to persuade the

smaller states to diminish their ar-

tilery equipment. France, Russia and

any other great power adopting the

czar's idea ought to support the minor

states that disarmed. Russia could not

support such states unless France co-

operated with her. Each might protect

the weak powers lying on its own front-

iers by using diplomatic influence, or

force if necessary.

The increased prosperity of the dis-

armed states would demonstrate the

soundness of the czar's idea.

BROOKE NEW COMET.

Cambridge, Mass., Oct. 23.—A tele-

gram has been received at the Harvard

college observatory from J. Ritchie, Jr.

of Boston stating that a comet was dis-

covered by Brooks, director of Smith

observatory, in R. A. 20, 56 Greenwich mean

time, in R. A., 14h. 32m. 10s. and declina-

tion, plus 60 deg. 25m. The motion was

eastward. The comet is large, round

and brightish. A later telegram from

Brooks announces that the comet Brooks

was observed Oct. 20, 92 in R. A., 14h.

46m. and declination plus 59 deg. 32m.

The motion was a rapid southeasterly

one.

SPINNERS QUIT WORK.

Fair River, Mass., Oct. 23.—The day

spinners at the Hargraves' cotton mills

left their work at noon Saturday, and it

is their intention not to return until the

management sees fit to discontinue em-

ploying a night force. The inmates of

the mills have been protesting against

night work for some time. They were

held a meeting Friday night to discuss

the grievances, but no definite action

was taken by them. The majority of the

weavers did not seem favorable to a

strike. The textile council will meet

here and discuss the situation.

PRINCETON CELEBRATED.

"In the afternoon session, papers were

presented by G. K. Hudson of Fitch-

burg, Major Russell Sturgis of Water-

town and A. Stratton, who told of the

work of the army Christian commission

in the war camps. There was a confer-

ence of delegates from the college so-

cieties during the afternoon at the

Washington Street Baptist church.

PICKED UP AT SEA.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 23.—Tappan Ad-

erson, a correspondent of Harper's Weekly,

who arrived here from St. Michaels

on the steamer Roanoke, with the news

of the probable loss of the small steamer

Abbie Rowe, in Norton Sound, with 11

Bostonians aboard, also reports that

while searching for the missing vessel,

a man in an open boat was picked up

several miles at sea. The man had been

without food or water for several days,

and was Sterling Marlin of Chicago,

who was left adrift on a barge which

was being towed from St. Michaels to

Coloford bay by the steamer Fortune

Hunter, with a Chicago party on board.

The Fortune Hunter was caught in a

storm and was forced to cut the barge

loose. Several days after the Fortune

Hunter was picked up by the steamer

Tillamook. In a waterlogged condition.

After cutting loose the barge foundered

and Martin put to sea in a small boat.

SILVERITES SHUT OUT.

Albany, Oct. 23.—Supreme Court Justice

Chester Saturday, after a two hours'

hearing on the question, refused to issue

an order directing the secretary of state

to file the Ulster county petition of the

Chicago platform Democrats, which was

presented Friday, on the ground that the

secretary of state had no power under

the election law to accept and file the

certificate after the regular date fix-

ed, which occurred on the 16th of this month.

As there is an appellate division sitting in this district

at this time, Justice Chester's deci-

sion cannot be reviewed, and as Secretary

of State Palmer is directed by law to make

up the official ballot on Monday next,

the nominees of the Chicago platform

will not get a place on the ballot.

WILL DECLARED.

Pretoria, Transvaal Republic, Oct. 23.

The Magistrate Koffie have been re-

quired by the force of Burghers to act

against them. The Burghers chased

them into the mountains, killing sever-

al of the natives. The Burgher arti-

llery did good execution, and the Trans-

vaal forces suffered no loss. The fact

that the natives attacked the Burghers

is regarded as a declaration of war.

POSTOFFICE RAIDED.

Hyde Park, Mass., Oct. 23.—The sub-

postoffice at Readville was broken into

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STOLE HIS TEAM.

Bye Man has an Experience with Horse Thieves.

Saturday evening shortly after twelve o'clock, Mr. William Frasier of Rye reported at the police station that his horse and team which he had left in front of the Commercial house, had been stolen. Officer Quisen, who is acting captain of the watch, assigned Officer Holbrook to the case. He soon got track of the turnout and found that it had been seen going out Islington street with two fellows on the seat.

The officer procured a team and drove out to the Plains train, where he found the horse and buggy belonging to Mr. Frasier, hitched outside. Whoever stole the train must have heard the officer drive up as no one could be found around the premises.

Mr. Frasier was much pleased at recovering his team.

COMMANDER SNOW ORDERED TO PORTO RICO.

Commander A. Sidney Snow, U. S. N., formerly of this navy yard, has been ordered to Porto Rico, where he will act as commandant of the naval station to be established at San Juan. He sails from New York, Oct. 28. Commander Snow was in charge of the Badger during the war and gained notoriety by capturing the only prize which had Spanish soldiers aboard. He has held numerous important positions in past years, and singularly enough it was Schley, whom he succeeded when he assumed charge of the New York light-house district, with headquarters at Staten island, just previous to taking command of the Badger.

MILLIONS GIVEN AWAY.

It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern in the land who are not afraid to be generous to the needy and suffering. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles of this great medicine; and have the satisfaction of knowing it has absolutely cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and all diseases of the Throat, Chest and Lungs are surely cured by it. Call at the Globe Grocery Co. and get a trial bottle free. Regular size 10c. and \$1. Every bottle guaranteed, or re-furnished.

TRYING HARD TO KEEP HER.

Constitution day was celebrated in Boston on Saturday. Captain Appleton spoke for the navy, and said: "What is true of the men '76 and '812 is true today, in '98." He offered a resolution which was received with great applause and adopted, that the government be requested to allow the frigate Constitution to remain in the Charlestown navy yard instead of her being sent back to Portsmouth, N. H.

HAVE JOINED THEIR COMPANY.

Sergeant Sheehan and Privates Murphy, White, Brady and Blueback, all members of Battery K, second U. S. artillery, arrived here Saturday afternoon and joined their company at Fort Constitution. These men were detached from the battery when it was at Tampa, Fla., and since then have been assisting in guarding supplies on the government transports running into Cuba and Porto Rico.

SUMMERS A WHEEL.

A carriage containing four young men from this city got stuck in the car track on Sagamore bridge on Sunday afternoon and a result one of the rear wheels was smashed into kindling wood. Mr. William Dunn came to the rescue and loaned the party a wheel with which to patch up the team. It was not the right size but did for a make shift to get home with.

Football at Portland Today.

The Portsmouth football team left for Portland at 10:45 a.m. today to play the team of the latter city.

A blessing alike to young and old; Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, Nature's specific for dysentery, diarrhea and summer complaint.

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The ring forms an important link in the lives of lovers and sweethearts.

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BADLY INJURED

Dennis Sullivan Fell From Buggy, In a Fit, Fracturing His Skull.

Dennis J. Sullivan, a young man formerly employed in the office of the Eldredge Brewing company, was seriously injured by falling from a buggy on Vaughan street at about 11 o'clock today in a fit.

Sullivan was stricken with the fit in front of the depot on Deer street, the horse continuing down Vaughan to the junction of Hill street, where he fell out in a heap, striking on his head and right shoulder.

He was picked up by several persons who had noticed him fall, and was taken to the Cottage hospital in one of Goldthwaite's job wagons. He bled freely from a gash over his right and was unconscious.

An examination at the hospital showed that his skull was slightly fractured and that he had concussion of the brain. He was pronounced in no immediate danger and will probably recover.

Sullivan is subject to convulsions. The team he was driving is owned by Thomas K. Locke and it was a first reported that Mr. Locke was the victim of the accident and that he had been killed, which caused considerable stir among that gentleman's many friends.

Mr. Locke had left Sullivan in charge of the team while he visited the depot and it is thought that when the unfortunate young fellow was stricken with the fit in the buggy, it started the horse.

The animal was going at a good pace when Sullivan fell from the buggy.

A BRILLIANT RECEPTION

Society People, From This City and the Navy Yard Present

The cosy hall in the ordinance building at the navy yard was the scene of one of the most brilliant and successful receptions ever given at the navy yard on Saturday evening. The well appointed hall was most artistically decorated with bunting and showed rare taste on the part of the decorators. The affair was given by Col. Robert L. Meade, U. S. M. C., wife and daughters, and Captain and Mrs. W. F. Spicer who made all the arrangements and extended the invitations, which resulted in about one hundred well-known society people being present. The guests commenced to arrive at 7:30 o'clock, over sixty from Portsmouth going over on the ferry, while nearly all the officers of the yard and ships were present. Music was furnished by Eastman's orchestra, and Ralph Green catered and the refreshments and lunch were served in a manner that gave excellent satisfaction.

Dancing was enjoyed until eleven o'clock in the evening when the young people prepared to journey to their homes delighted with the evening's entertainment and with a desire to repeat the same programme at no distant date.

Included with the navy yard contingent and officers of the ship there were noted men from Portsmouth.

Mrs. Susan D. Kates, Mrs. Mortimer L. Johnson, Mrs. Henry E. Howe, Passed Assistant Engineer and Mrs. R. G. Higgins, Rev. and Mrs. L. H. Thayer, Miss Carpenter, Miss Yates, Miss Lighthorn, Miss Larkin, Miss Cleaver, Miss Delaney, Misses Johnson, Misses Bradford, Miss Louise Hovey, Miss Agnes Blake, Dr. E. M. Jewett, Mr. Reginald Carpenter, Mr. Percy Penhallow and Mr. Frank S. Preston.

OBITUARIES

Mrs. Mary Campbell

Mrs. Mary Campbell, wife of Thomas Campbell of Clinton street, died yesterday at her home after a long illness at the age of sixty five years and five months. She is survived by a husband, one son and two daughters.

Finan E. Carter

Finan E. Carter, child of Charles E. and Annie Carter of Kittery Point died yesterday afternoon aged two years, one month and twenty days.

Mary Marden

Mary Marden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Marden of Sparkhawk street died yesterday, aged one year, eleven months and six days.

Mrs. C. M. Gigoux

Mrs. Gigoux, widow of the late C. M. Gigoux, died at her home in Chocorua, Mass., this morning. Deceased suffered a paralytic shock a week ago Saturday and since then has rapidly failed until death ensued this morning. The body will be brought here and the funeral services held at the church of the Immaculate Conception Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock.

May NEVER BE TRIED

Nason Case Dropped and Carroll County Court Adjourned

The October term of supreme court for Carroll county has adjourned, the term cases on the docket having been continued and all jurors discharged.

The Nason has dropped through because of the alleged withdrawal of counsel for lack of evidence. Prominent lawyers say that in all probability it will never again be resurrected, the trial having been deferred until a more auspicious season.

Invitations are out for the wedding of Mr. George Henry Lawrence Cauldwell of Squamscott and Miss Lillian Maude Clapp of Lynn, at the home of the bride, No. 9 Newhall street, Wednesday evening, November the second.

Louis Goldschmidt of Dover, formerly

of this city, will speak at Lisburne the Lawrence High school alumni. This team will be captained by Holt of the Andover team, and it will be composed mostly of college players, of which Lawrence has turned out some fine ones.

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PERSONALS

Patrick Harvey spent Sunday at his home in Dover.

Police officers Kelley and Murphy are on the sick list.

Lawyer S. Peter Emery went to Boston on Sunday afternoon.

M. H. Gregg of the Custom house passed Sunday in Boston.

Assistant Marshal Frank H. West is suffering from a severe cold.

Mrs. Allison Phinney has returned from an extended visit in Lynn.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Walcott returned from Boston on Sunday evening.

Mr. Fred Sheridan of the Boston Herald passed Sunday in this city.

Miss Grace R. Brown of State street is passing a week's vacation in Boston.

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